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	First Named Inventor	David Camp	
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Date	October 12, 2004	Reg. No.	30,694

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Effective 10/01/2004. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## Complete if Known

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1001	790	2001	395	Utility filing fee	
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1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims  -20\*\* =  X  =   
Independent Claims  -3\*\* =  X  =   
Multiple Dependent  =

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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	88	2201	44	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	300	2203	150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	88	2204	44	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,530	2254	765	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,080	2255	1,040	Extension for reply within fifth month	* 1,130.00

\* \$2,080 five-month extension fee  
- 950 previously submitted extension fee  
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1401	340	2401	170	Notice of A	
1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief	
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1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to i	
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1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/731,496  
Title : "Orienter/Motor for Drilling Tool Assembly"  
Inventor : David Camp  
Filed : December 9, 2003  
Docket No. : 44501-00046 USPT

TO: Mail Stop Missing Parts/Fee  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO**  
**NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply dated August 31, 2004 wherein replacement drawings were requested, applicant submits herewith the replacement drawings.

The original Notice to File Missing Parts was dated March 10, 2004. A response was submitted with a three-month late fee of \$950 on August 10, 2004. Accordingly, as this submission would require a five-month late fee, the following amount is submitted herewith:

\$2,080 five-month extension fee  
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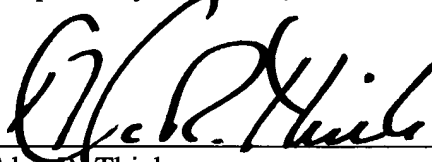
Additionally, please change correspondence address for this pending patent application to:

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Any additional charges should be charge to Deposit Account No. 194547.

Should the Examiner feel that the prosecution of the above-identified application may be materially advanced by a telephone call, he or she is hereby requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alan R. Thiele", written over a horizontal line.

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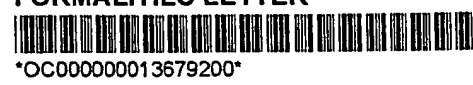
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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 08/10/2004 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 03/10/2004 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

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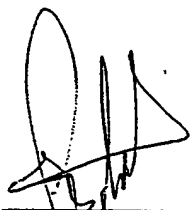
A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application. Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
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